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Historic Brigade Napoleon Rides at Sully Historic Site

On Saturday and Sunday, September 15 and 16, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., visitors to Sully Historic Site in Chantilly, VA will hear the grunts of men, the snorts of horses and the metallic clang of drawn swords when Brigade Napoleon sets up camp and demonstrates cavalry techniques used by Napoleon's army. Come see the beautiful horses and their riders dressed in the glorious uniforms of early 19th century French military.

Brigade Napoléon is a re-enactment organization comprised of several different North American groups with a common interest in France's Napoleonic history and a desire to educate and entertain the public. Napoleon's 3eme Cuirassiers will be the primary participants at Sully's event. In a competition for honors that tests the skills of man and mount, the brigade will also drill on horseback. Historically, these cavalymen fought in many battles during the Napoleonic Wars in Europe between 1799 and 1814, including the Russian campaigns and Waterloo.

The cost of admission is \$6 per adults and \$4 per child and includes a tour of the 1794 historic home of Richard Bland Lee. Food will be available for purchase.

Sully Historic Site is located at 3601 Sully Road in Chantilly, VA. For more information, please call 703-437-1794.

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